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PUBLIC WELFARE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1984

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PUBLIC WELFARE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1984

Comparative statistics for the current month, the preceding month, and the same month last year for the programs of Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC) and General Assistance (GA) are shown in the following tables. The tables for AFDC includes the combined totals for the "C", "F" and "N" segments. The combined totals for this program and the General Assistance Program are shown in the "Public Assistance Programs" table.

For the tables in this release pertaining to the AFDC Program which is CWA-administered, the numbers shown as recipients include some duplication of count for cases and persons who had received a partial (initial) grant in the preceding month but were not included in the counts for that month.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

	JANUARY 1984	DECEMBER 1983	JANUARY 1983	PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS: MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	10,635(R)	12,586	11,931	-15.5%	-10.9%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	10,731(R)	12,516	11,939	-14.3%	-10.1%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	8,935	10,759	9,965	-17.0%	-10.3%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	83.3%	86.0%	83.5%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	10,090	8,794	7,731	14.7%	30.5%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	112.9%	81.7%	77.6%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	3,149	3,245	2,610	- 3.0%	20.7%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	162,371(R)	164,076	164,139	- 1.0%	- 1.1%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	428,635(R)	431,190	440,033	- 0.6%	- 2.6%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$49,475,813	$49,871,440	$49,523,107	- 0.8%	- 0.1%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$ 304.71	$ 303.95	$ 301.71	0.3%	1.0%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$ 115.43	$ 115.66	$ 112.54	- 0.2%	2.6%

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AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN PROGRAM

	JANUARY 1984	DECEMBER 1983	JANUARY 1983	PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS: MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	5,892	6,027	6,288	- 2.2%	- 6.3%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	6,000	6,085	6,254	- 1.4%	- 4.1%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	4,955	5,053	5,189	- 1.9%	- 4.5%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	82.6%	83.0%	83.0%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	5,054	5,341	4,678	- 5.4%	8.0%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	102.0%	105.7%	90.2%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	997	1,105	1,381	- 9.8%	-27.8%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	131,633	131,914	134,466	- 0.2%	- 2.1%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	397,298	398,340	409,838	- 0.3%	- 3.1%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$43,840,432	$43,423,224	$44,384,309	1.0%	- 1.2%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$ 333.05	$ 329.18	$ 330.08	1.2%	0.9%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$ 110.35	$ 109.01	$ 108.30	1.2%	1.9%

GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

	JANUARY 1984	DECEMBER 1983	JANUARY 1983	PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS: MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	4,743(R)	6,559	5,643	-27.7%	-15.9%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	4,731(R)	6,431	5,685	-26.4%	-16.8%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	3,980	5,706	4,776	-30.2%	-16.7%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	84.1%	88.7%	84.0%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	5,036	3,453	3,053	45.8%	65.0%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	126.5%	60.5%	63.9%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	2,152	2,140	1,229	0.6%	75.1%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	30,738(R)	32,162	29,673	- 4.4%	3.6%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	31,337(R)	32,850	30,195	- 4.6%	3.8%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$5,635,381	$6,448,216	$5,138,798	-12.6%	9.7%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$ 183.34(R)	$ 200.49	$ 173.18	- 8.6%	5.9%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$ 179.83	$ 196.29	$ 170.19	- 8.4%	5.7%

TABLE II-A
(REVISED 2/4/85)

STATISICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM(a)

JANUARY 1984

COUNTY	NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS			NUMBER OF CASES			NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	RECEIVED	CLEARED	PENDING	APPROVED	CLOSED	AIDED	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINT	HOSP	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	291	242	103	171	100	600	610	606	3	1	93251	84400	8851	138.59	2212.75
BERGEN	166	164	2	131	125	561	589	579	0	10	107878	89585	18293	154.72	1829.30
BURLINGTON	120	113	8	108	96	460	484	484	0	0	64612	64612	0	133.50	0.00
CAMDEN	254	263	17	228	192	2398	2447	2428	15	4	420230	314096	106134	128.57	5586.00
CAPE MAY	75	75	0	75	73	187	200	200	0	0	24884	24884	0	124.42	0.00
CUMBERLAND	109	114	6	96	83	423	452	452	0	0	55142	55142	0	122.00	0.00
ESSEX	953	1007	1084	819	839	11383	11490	11343	126	21	2270119	1699769	570350	148.21	3879.93
GLOUCESTER	64	65	0	59	61	244	256	256	0	0	33581	33581	0	131.18	0.00
HUDSON	697	698	259	697	2200	5546	5652	5507	69	76	1314317	761588	552729	136.58	3811.92
HUNTERDON	5	5	0	5	13	18	19	19	0	0	1973	1973	0	103.84	0.00
MERCER	484	380	534	219	187	2314	2337	2337	0	0	322488	322488	0	137.99	0.00
MIDDLESEX	251	268	65	246	240	1389	1442	1442	0	0	214140	214140	0	148.50	0.00
MONMOUTH	263	280	3	241	174	761	799	798	1	0	108331	108166	165	135.38	165.00
MORRIS	61	63	1	51	38	175	183	183	0	0	24077	24077	0	131.57	0.00
OCEAN	139	136	16	115	109	515	532	532	0	0	72726	72726	0	136.70	0.00
PASSAIC	273	315	16	299	220	1692	1711	1711	0	0	216378	216378	0	126.46	0.00
SALEM	25	25	0	25	22	76	84	84	0	0	9643	9643	0	114.80	0.00
SOMERSET	52	54	5	48	36	154	161	161	0	0	20922	20922	0	129.95	0.00
SUSSEX	15	16	0	16	12	53	53	53	0	0	9805	9805	0	185.00	0.00
UNION	434	436	33	319	202	1750	1794	1792	1	1	246974	241610	5364	134.75	2682.00
WARREN	12	12	0	12	14	39	42	42	0	0	3910	3910	0	93.10	0.00
TOTAL	4743	4731	2152	3980	5036	30738	31337	31009	215	113	5635381	4373495	1261886	140.97	3847.21

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-B
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STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
EMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

JANUARY 1984

COUNTY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	356	354	2	0	38001	36161	1840	101.58	920.00
BERGEN	224	221	0	3	27722	24431	3291	110.55	1097.00
BURLINGTON	249	249	0	0	25960	25960	0	104.26	0.00
CAMDEN	1911	1900	8	3	270906	221718	49188	116.20	4471.64
CAPE MAY	127	127	0	0	11281	11281	0	88.83	0.00
CUMBERLAND	308	308	0	0	30305	30305	0	98.39	0.00
ESSEX	7057	6994	55	8	1075114	875233	199881	124.16	3172.71
GLOUCESTER	118	118	0	0	11223	11223	0	95.11	0.00
HUDSON	3878	3804	30	44	706578	436430	270148	113.83	3650.65
HUNTERDON	6	6	0	0	661	661	0	110.17	0.00
MERCER	1656	1656	0	0	198977	198977	0	120.16	0.00
MIDDLESEX	838	838	0	0	103390	103390	0	123.38	0.00
MONMOUTH	369	369	0	0	33715	33715	0	91.37	0.00
MORRIS	85	85	0	0	6445	6445	0	75.82	0.00
OCEAN	289	289	0	0	30437	30437	0	105.32	0.00
PASSAIC	1042	1042	0	0	109158	109158	0	104.76	0.00
SALEM	56	56	0	0	5244	5244	0	93.64	0.00
SOMERSET	88	88	0	0	8593	8593	0	97.65	0.00
SUSSEX	18	18	0	0	1867	1867	0	103.72	0.00
UNION	1033	1033	0	0	105355	105355	0	101.99	0.00
WARREN	31	31	0	0	2488	2488	0	80.26	0.00
TOTAL	19739	19586	95	58	2803420	2279072	524348	115.80	3427.11

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-C
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STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
UNEMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

JANUARY 1984

COUNTY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	254	252	1	1	55250	48239	7011	190.67	3505.50
BERGEN	365	358	0	7	80156	65154	15002	181.99	2143.14
BURLINGTON	235	235	0	0	38652	38652	0	164.48	0.00
CAMDEN	536	528	7	1	149324	92378	56946	172.67	7118.25
CAPE MAY	73	73	0	0	13603	13603	0	186.34	0.00
CUMBERLAND	144	144	0	0	24837	24837	0	172.48	0.00
ESSEX	4433	4349	71	13	1195005	824536	370469	186.55	4410.35
GLOUCESTER	138	138	0	0	22358	22358	0	162.01	0.00
HUDSON	1774	1703	39	32	607739	325158	282581	186.66	3980.01
HUNTERDON	13	13	0	0	1312	1312	0	100.92	0.00
MERCER	681	681	0	0	123511	123511	0	181.37	0.00
MIDDLESEX	604	604	0	0	110750	110750	0	183.36	0.00
MONMOUTH	430	429	1	0	74616	74451	165	173.14	165.00
MORRIS	98	98	0	0	17632	17632	0	179.92	0.00
OCEAN	243	243	0	0	42289	42289	0	174.03	0.00
PASSAIC	669	669	0	0	107220	107220	0	160.27	0.00
SALEM	28	28	0	0	4399	4399	0	157.11	0.00
SOMERSET	73	73	0	0	12329	12329	0	168.89	0.00
SSEX	35	35	0	0	7938	7938	0	226.80	0.00
UNION	761	759	1	1	141619	136255	5364	179.28	2682.00
WARREN	11	11	0	0	1422	1422	0	129.27	0.00
TOTAL	11598	11423	120	55	2831961	2094423	737538	181.45	4214.50

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TABLE II-D
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STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES(a)

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF CASES			NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	APPROVED	CLOSED	AIDED	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINT	HOSP	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	106	50	384	387	383	3	1	66577	57726	8851	149.55	2212.75
BAYONNE	34	26	321	329	329	0	0	45238	45238	0	137.50	0.00
BRIDGETON	32	20	192	204	204	0	0	25977	25977	0	127.34	0.00
CAMDEN	150	119	1942	1975	1958	13	4	352793	249546	103247	126.61	6073.35
EAST ORANGE	146	163	796	804	792	9	3	159267	135518	23749	169.19	1979.08
ELIZABETH	214	97	1175	1197	1196	1	0	151823	150503	1320	125.73	1320.00
ENGLEWOOD	29	40	130	131	126	0	5	22953	17326	5627	137.51	1125.40
HOBOKEN	43	57	329	337	337	0	0	43159	43159	0	128.07	0.00
IRVINGTON	58	70	431	441	441	0	0	51417	51417	0	116.59	0.00
JERSEY CITY	553	568	4092	4159	4017	68	74	1105968	572093	533875	140.05	3759.68
LAKEWOOD	45	33	205	213	213	0	0	25235	25235	0	118.47	0.00
MONTCLAIR	32	25	184	184	171	11	2	76466	44227	32239	243.01	2479.92
NEWARK	516	515	9511	9589	9474	101	14	1899562	1400140	499422	146.23	4342.80
NEW BRUNSWICK	80	81	377	386	386	0	0	68408	68408	0	177.22	0.00
ORANGE CITY	23	37	207	210	209	1	0	26968	24411	2557	116.24	2557.00
PASSAIC	22	28	153	157	157	0	0	22110	22110	0	140.83	0.00
PATERSON	262	183	1467	1480	1480	0	0	179925	179925	0	121.57	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	64	61	480	500	500	0	0	64267	64267	0	128.53	0.00
PLAINFIELD	44	40	228	228	227	0	1	38350	34306	4044	151.13	4044.00
TRENTON	167	150	2081	2100	2100	0	0	287010	287010	0	136.67	0.00
UNION CITY	34	1063	567	575	574	0	1	75367	64754	10613	112.81	10613.00
TOTAL	2654	3426	25252	25586	25274	207	105	4788840	3563296	1225544	139.84	3928.03

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-E
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STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES EMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	231	229	2	0	27300	25460	1840	110.22	920.00
BAYONNE	226	226	0	0	24026	24026	0	106.31	0.00
BRIDGETON	137	137	0	0	14348	14348	0	104.73	0.00
CAMDEN	1698	1687	8	3	250388	201200	49188	118.70	4471.64
EAST ORANGE	397	393	1	3	53536	46456	7080	117.91	1770.00
ELIZABETH	733	733	0	0	73201	73201	0	99.86	0.00
ENGLEWOOD	72	69	0	3	10867	7576	3291	109.80	1097.00
HOBOKEN	281	281	0	0	34106	34106	0	121.37	0.00
IRVINGTON	264	264	0	0	23560	23560	0	89.24	0.00
JERSEY CITY	2829	2756	29	44	590725	323552	267173	116.18	3659.90
LAKEWOOD	128	128	0	0	12141	12141	0	94.85	0.00
MONTCLAIR	114	106	7	1	36722	19003	17719	168.17	2214.88
NEWARK	6058	6008	47	3	937754	764184	173570	126.21	3471.40
NEW BRUNSWICK	259	259	0	0	40481	40481	0	156.30	0.00
ORANGE CITY	131	131	0	0	12890	12890	0	98.40	0.00
PASSAIC	50	50	0	0	5538	5538	0	110.76	0.00
PATERSON	971	971	0	0	101468	101468	0	104.50	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	309	309	0	0	34393	34393	0	111.30	0.00
PLAINFIELD	146	146	0	0	16209	16209	0	111.02	0.00
TRENTON	1543	1543	0	0	187912	187912	0	121.78	0.00
UNION CITY	451	451	0	0	45910	45910	0	101.80	0.00
TOTAL	17028	16877	94	57	2533475	2013614	519861	118.65	3442.79

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TABLE II-F
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STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES UNEMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

JANUARY 1984

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	156	154	1	1	39277	32266	7011	208.17	3505.50
BAYONNE	103	103	0	0	21212	21212	0	205.94	0.00
BRIDGETON	67	67	0	0	11629	11629	0	173.57	0.00
CAMDEN	277	271	5	1	102405	48346	54059	175.17	9009.83
EAST ORANGE	407	399	8	0	105731	89062	16669	218.83	2083.63
ELIZABETH	464	463	1	0	78622	77302	1320	166.60	1320.00
ENGLEWOOD	59	57	0	2	12086	9750	2336	171.05	1168.00
HOBOKEN	56	56	0	0	9053	9053	0	161.66	0.00
IRVINGTON	177	177	0	0	27857	27857	0	157.38	0.00
JERSEY CITY	1330	1261	39	30	515243	248541	266702	191.19	3865.23
LAKEWOOD	85	85	0	0	13094	13094	0	154.05	0.00
MONTCLAIR	70	65	4	1	39744	25224	14520	365.57	2904.00
NEWARK	3531	3466	54	11	961808	635956	325852	180.67	5013.11
NEW BRUNSWICK	127	127	0	0	27927	27927	0	219.90	0.00
ORANGE CITY	79	78	1	0	14078	11521	2557	145.84	2557.00
PASSAIC	107	107	0	0	16572	16572	0	154.88	0.00
PATERSON	509	509	0	0	78457	78457	0	154.14	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	191	191	0	0	29874	29874	0	156.41	0.00
PLAINFIELD	82	81	0	1	22141	18097	4044	223.42	4044.00
TRENTON	557	557	0	0	99098	99098	0	177.91	0.00
UNION CITY	124	123	0	1	29457	18844	10613	153.20	10613.00
TOTAL	8558	8397	113	48	2255365	1549682	705683	182.10	4383.12

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